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ATTACKS ON PORT ARTHUR

By the Japanese Caused Terrible Destruction to the Russian Fleet and Also to the Forts and Residences.

MOVEMENTS OF LAND FORCES.

The Japanese Armies Have almost Completed Preparations to Make a Descent on the Enemy. Huge Land Campaign Expected.

Russia Has Notified Korea that she will Consider

Korea as a Belligerent Nation. No

Further News of Port Arthur

Russian Fleet.

Japs Make Progress on Land.

Tokio, March 16.—It is announced that three brigades of the army have successfully passed the Korean frontier beyond the Samu crossing into Manchuria in the valley between the Yalu and Toman Rivers. Major General Shimoto, vice-minister of War, confirmed the fact that the advance guard of the Japanese division had routed the Russian scouts driving them northwest of the headwaters on the Yalu, and occupying the camp on the Korean side of the river. The Russians are northward in force and the statement is discredited that they have no army force in Eastern Manchuria sufficient to delay the advance of the Japanese. This division of the Japanese army is in command of General Kuroki. It is estimated that 30,000 troops have crossed into Manchuria, west of the Siao.

Training His Sailors.

St. Petersburg, March 16.—The report that the Port Arthur squadron is trying to get to the Vladivostok squadron is due to the repeated sorties from Port Arthur where Admiral Makaroff is testing his ships and sailors. The Russian ships were out again on a scouting expedition.

Port Arthur's Downfall

St. Petersburg, March 16.—The reports of the abandonment of Port Arthur continue to arrive, causing the bitterest resentment. The papers denounce the story as a stock jobbing scheme. One paper remarks: "Let other countries be fed on such tales, but while Russian blood is flowing, the authorities should not allow the people to be disturbed by such false heads." The official telegrams are believed and trusted by every one.

Russians Still in Port Arthur

Boilin, March 16.—A well-informed correspondent in St. Petersburg states that according to information received by relatives of the officials in Port Arthur, the bombardment by the Japanese Thursday caused great damage. The fortifications of the town and nearly all the ships in the harbor were damaged by shells. The Palada, which is in the drydock, was struck twice. A fresh attack was feared momentarily. The feeling of depression in Port Arthur is becoming more profound but they are determined to hold out to the limit of endurance.

Japanese Land Campaign.

Tokio, March 17.—If an offensive movement has been begun from the valley of Toomank, the first army division of the Japanese has begun operations either east or west of Port Arthur. The main line from Seoul, in Korea, toward the Yalu River will be used for protective and defensive purposes, and for the transportation of military supplies north and west to the main armies in the field. There is a possibility that the main movement of the Japanese army has begun.

Russia Considers Korea Belligerent.

Seoul, March 17.—The Korean superintendent of trade at Kyong Haing on the Tumen route, has received a note from the general in command at Vladivostok, saying that since Korea has joined Japan, Russia considers Korea as a belligerent, and will act accordingly. Two thousand Korean corps now at Seoul will be sent to the north next week.

People Terrorized.

Advices from Chienki, northwest of Anku, say that the people are in a state of panic owing to the treatment of women and the seizing of the grain by Russians.

Attack on Port Arthur.

Shanghai, March 17.—Three Norwegian steamers, the Prand, Argo and the Sorstad, arrived here today direct from Port Arthur. The captains were taken before the Admiral prior to their departure, and forced to swear they would not reveal what had taken place at Port Arthur. I have obtained the following authentic particulars from members of the crew. During the last bombardment the Argo lay alongside the Russian in the harbor. One shell from a Japanese warship fell on the deck of the battleship and exploded, killing nineteen officers. The crews of the merchantships in the harbor deserted and fled towards the promontory. During the bombardment the greatest damage was done in the new town, where the shells played such havoc that practically all the shops and business places he maintains, were demolished. There is scarcely a residence left untouched.

Japs Good Marksmen.

The Japanese fire was marvellously accurate and the inhabitants were terror stricken. Many attempted to construct bomb-proof shelters. A shell fell among a crowd of nightworkers and killed twenty-five of them.

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(Bulletin Special Dispatch).

London, March 16.—The Duke of Cambridge, cousin to Queen Victoria, after being ill for some weeks, was seized with hemorrhage of the stomach. He is now in a very critical condition and fears are entertained for his recovery.

Later.

London, March 17.—The Duke of Cambridge died at 10.35 o'clock yesterday morning. He was a cousin of late Queen Victoria. He was born March 26th, 1819.

DEBATE ON ADDRESS

FINISHED YESTERDAY.

In the Dominion Parliament Tarte did not speak. Members now expect a Short Session.

(Bulletin Special Dispatch).

Ottawa, March 16.—The debate on the address was finished this afternoon. There was no amendment offered by the opposition and no division.

DEATH OF OLD TIMER

AT ROCKWOOD.

Thomas Lusted, Prominent in Winnipeg in the Early Days, Passes into the Great Beyond.

(Bulletin Special Dispatch).

Winnipeg, March 16.—Word has been received from Rockwood of the death of Thomas Lusted, a resident of Rockwood since 1882. Lusted came to Winnipeg in 1867 and started a carriage building. He was a member of the first city council of this city, also a member of the local legislature in 1878-1879.

During the rebellion he was imprisoned with others in Fort Garry by Louis Riel, but managed to escape at the time of the execution of Thomas Scott and found his way back to Ontario after incredible hardships on the trail, but returned to this province immediately after the rebellion had been extinguished. Lusted was 83 years of age.

NEW POST OFFICE

FOR WINNIPEG.

Board of Trade Have Selected the Site of Grace Church, as a Suitable Place for It.

(Bulletin Special Dispatch).

Winnipeg, March 16.—The Winnipeg Board of Trade has secured an option on the site where Grace church now stands at the corner of Notre Dame street for the purpose of recommending it to the government as a suitable location for the post office which will be built here shortly. The government has been communicated with in this matter and it is expected that this site will be selected and work started during the coming summer.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Condensed Dispatches Dealing With the Day's Most Important Happenings.

Winnipeg, March 17th.

STRIKE IN NEW YORK.

In New York three thousand men engaged in the building trade are on strike.

WORKING FOR PEACE.

The United States senate desires a joint action with Britain to stay the Russo-Japanese war.

PATRIOTIC JAPANESE.

Fourteen Japanese officers passed through Winnipeg enroute home to rejoin their army.

AS AN AID TO IMMIGRATION.

The Canadian Pacific Railway company has offered a subscription of \$5,000 to the Western Canada Immigration association, provided that other large local support is given.

LODGING A PROTEST.

A protest will be forwarded to Ottawa against the proposed plan of Duluth capitalists to divert water from the Rainy River watershed to the St. Louis River.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE

A public meeting of the ratepayers will be held in Robertson hall on Wednesday, the 23rd March, 1904, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of discussing the proposed extension of the electric light system now under consideration. A full attendance is requested as the matter is of the utmost importance for the town's progress.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 17TH, 1904.

PEACE RIVER COUNTRY.

Editor Bulletin:—It is evident by an article which appeared in a local paper recently under the heading of "Peace River Farming," that a great deal of information of a decidedly unreliable character is being circulated through the country in regard to present conditions in the Peace River district. Among other things mentioned is the fact (1) that "farmers make money raising wheat, which is crumpled and sold to freighters," also that a crusher has just been taken up to the Peace River, ostensibly for the purpose of crushing wheat. This crusher, we are told, being taken "1,200 miles to Peace River." (2) That should like very much to know just where on the Peace River that this would be, also how they would have it there. Why cannot a crusher be taken to the Peace River in the same manner as the hundreds of tons of machinery and supplies of all kinds that are continually pouring into the far north, and which is necessitating the building of powerful steamers to handle the increasing traffic?

At the Peace River Crossing, which is the end of the road between Lesser Slave Lake and Peace River, there are a few choice farms on the river flats, where for a number of years wheat has been successfully grown. The banks of the river are very high here, about 800 feet, and grain raising has not proved very profitable on the height of land, probably because it has not been given a fair trial. Wheat raised at Shafshbury mission, in the valley, should have taken the gold medal at the World's Fair in 1893. From this point the bank goes lower as the river winds on to the northwest, until at Vermilion, where the river only reaches a height of 120 feet. At this point the river takes a turn to the east, and here, lying between the divide on the north and the Buffalo mountains on the south, lies a fine stretch of country, well watered, which is destined to become one of the most important agricultural centres in the Northwest.

This part of the country is not dependent upon a railway for a market, but upon the great Mackenzie River basin, which river with the Peace, forms the great waterway of the north, along which all of the supplies will be shipped as soon as the railway taps the upper Peace. All kinds of farm products can be shipped north from Vermilion, cheaper than they can be hauled by trail from the ports. It is maintained by some that a country or a district will never amount to anything without a railway. Very good, a country that can go ahead and develop in spite of the fact that the railway is 700 miles away, must have natural advantages or progress under those conditions would be impossible.

A glance at what is being done at Vermilion will show that in spite of serious drawbacks the settlement is not at all a standstill. Two stone flour mills are in operation, the third was burning down a few years ago equipped with the latest improved Waterbury mill machinery, shingle mills and planers. It would seem as if the future of this place was assured, but the fact that the railway is 700 miles away, must have natural advantages or progress under those conditions would be impossible.

As yet the farms are small, ranging from 100 to 200 acres, the few large farms being equipped with binders, drills, disk and tread harrows, riding plows, mowers and rakes. The quantity of wheat raised is small, there being little demand until recently for grain. The quality is good while the yield per acre varies from 12 to 25 bushels.

The questions naturally arise, What are the opportunities for schooling? How can one do without churches? What is there in the way of recreation or amusement? How can one keep in touch with the outside world? There are at the present time four schools on the Peace River, two at Peace River Crossing and two at Vermilion. They are under the auspices of the Episcopal church, and the Roman Catholic mission, partly supported by the government and have qualified teachers. There is also some talk of a new school at Vermilion, where advanced studies can be taken up without sending children away too far from home. There is a Presbyterian mission recently established at Grand Prairie, an Episcopal and a Roman Catholic church at the Crossing and the same at the Vermilion. A Methodist church is shortly to be built at Vermilion, where plans are already prepared for a town hall. Among other things to be found in this remote corner of the earth are eight organs and several minor musical instruments, including tom-toms, which of course furnish both recreation and amusement for those not too highly civilized. In a country that abounds with game, where rivers and lakes teem with fish, where pure air and sunshine are free, where one can see nature in all its beauty and grandeur, where hallmarks, or blizzards are unknown, what need to ask what to do for recreation.

A small, but powerful steamer runs from Vermilion Falls, 50 miles below Vermilion, to the Rocky Mountains—a distance of about 400 miles. This same part of the river a 65-foot steam launch is being taken out this winter, a three will be a large, powerful steamer built at Vermilion this year for the Hudson's Bay Company, who are equipping it with the very latest improved machinery. This machinery, as well as all other machinery and supplies for the Vermilion, is hauled by teams to the Peace River, a distance of 400 miles. Some of the settlers have come out and are returning to Vermilion with over 50,000 worth of heavy teams and farm implements for their own use. There has been much delay in farm operations owing to lack of teams, but the addition of twenty-five good, heavy horses will help matters some. There is a rail at the present time for 100 miles.

In a country so far north, where some people hear that we have little but frost, the question naturally arises as to the time of seeding and harvesting. In the past two years seeding has commenced on April 28th and May 1st, wheat coming on May 12th and 17th. All ordinary garden vegetables grow abundantly. Wild fruits are plentiful, such as raspberries, strawberries, and the Northwest Territory. Prices of produce are as follows: Flour, R. R. \$3.50 and \$3.50; best butter, 30c to 35c; bacon, 15c; eggs, 25c and wheat \$1.50.

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—St. Patrick's day.
—Irish national concert in Robertson hall tonight.

—Judgment was given in the Parsons vs. Roucher assault and battery case this morning. Judgment was given Mr. Parsons for \$50 without costs.

—The Irish national concert will be held in Robertson's hall this evening. A good program has been arranged and a splendid time may be expected. The proceeds will be devoted to the Edmonton hospital.

—An exceedingly large hen's egg, fresh laid, was left at the Bulletin office yesterday by Geo. Roy, registrar. It measures 8 1/2 inches and 5 3/4 inches in circumference and weighs 1 1/2 ounces.

—Alfred Blais left this morning for Birch Lake with a large stock of groceries and hardware. Mr. Blais intends opening a general store at Birch Lake and should meet with success.

—A public meeting of the ratepayers will be held in Robertson hall on Wednesday, March 23rd, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of discussing the proposed extension of the electric light system.

—Edmonton senior hockey team was unable to make its proposed trip to Lacombe today. The boys were looking forward to a trip to the southern town and were disappointed in that they could not all get away.

—The tenders for ties and poles for the Edmonton street railway company has been varied slightly to suit local conditions. The time for the receiving of tenders has been extended. Five thousand of the ties are to be delivered by July 1st, and 5,000 by August 1st. The poles are to be delivered about Jasper and Nanayo avenues between July 1st and August 31st.

—Statesman, Bowmansville, March 9. —About 30 young people assembled at the home of Mr. E. C. Tait, Tuesday evening to say farewell to his daughter, Miss Margaret Tait, who is leaving home to reside in Edmonton. N. W. T., where her brothers, Messrs. Cassel and Albert Tait, are residing. During the evening Miss Lois Edick, in behalf of those present, read a nicely worded address and presented Miss Tait with a fine travelling trunk. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by the young folk. On Wednesday evening the choir of Trinity church met at the residence of Mrs. R. D. Davidson, and after practice Miss E. Freeland on behalf of the members, presented Miss Tait with a very pretty mezzanine chaise longue and an aligator purse. Miss Tait carries to the west the best wishes of every person who knows her, and her bright, cheerful face will be greatly missed in church and social circles. Edmonton is to be congratulated on such a valuable acquisition to its social circle and its citizenship.

PERSONAL

—Mr. Ward, of Ward Lake, Pembina River district, is now in the city.

—Miss A. Knott, of Buffalo, N. Y., has recently arrived in the city. Miss Knott is a trained nurse and will follow her profession here.

—Miss E. South, of Buffalo, New York, is in town. Miss South is opening a dress making establishment as soon as she can secure rooms.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Weeks and Company report awakened interest in Edmonton real estate and Edmonton district farm lands. During the last ten days they have sold the A. R. Duncan property on Fourth street west; three main street lots yesterday; two corner lots on Jasper avenue on Tuesday; two lots on Heiminek street and one on Nanayo avenue, and four lots and building on Tenth street. Numerous enquiries are also being received for caquities are also being received for

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SKATING CHALLENGE

Editor Bulletin:—I hereby challenge all comers for the championship of the Northwest Territories, for a series of races for the gate receipts for 220 yards, quarter mile, half mile and mile race to take place on Thistle rink, Edmonton, Thursday evening, March 24th. Major Rick, of Calgary, and J. Williams, of Lacombe, please accept this invitation.

O. B. BUSH,
Edmonton.

IN PLAIN TERMS.

A writer in the Montreal Witness puts the protection question in a nutshell, thus:—

"A great deal of talk, ink and paper is wasted in discussing protection and free trade. After all, the question is very simple. Why should I consent to have myself taxed to help any other man's business while the universal custom of mankind is to buy on the cheapest market and sell on the dearest when allowed individual freedom. The worst feature of protectionists is their dishonesty. They always talk about benefitting the country, while they are all the time thinking only of how they can add to their millions. Very little enquiry will satisfy anyone that while local manufacturers might be protectionists or free traders in proportion as they are indifferent or afraid of foreign manufacturers, importers are always free traders. Another dishonest cry is the cry of benefitting the workmen. The wages of the working classes are always regulated by the law of supply and demand. The scientific basis of wages is not dollars and cents, but the number of day's board of a given grade a man may get for a day's labor."

LAKE ST ANNE.

Messrs. Armitated and La Roque have commenced building operations on the new Hudson's Bay company store. The new building will be 40 by 22 feet and will be on the north side of the trail, directly opposite the old store. The old building will be used as a storehouse. This will be a great advantage, as hitherto, owing to the lack of storage capacity, goods have had to be hauled in the summer when the trails are generally bad. Mr. Peter Gunn, returned last Saturday from Edmonton, where he had been on a week on business. He reports the roads very heavy. Mr. Robert Doak, who spent some

time here last fall in connection with a C. N. R. railway party, is renewing acquaintances here.

The people of the Beauspre settlement are to have a post office. The name of the post office will be Onaway, and Mr. W. P. Beauspre will be the postmaster. This post office will be served from Lac Ste Anne for the present.

There is not much fur coming in this winter. The fall in the price of furs has put a damper on the hunting and trapping in these parts. Very few, if any, of the hunters from here are gone to the woods.

Ten teams arrived with freight for the Hudson's Bay company today. Owing to the heavy condition of the roads, they experienced great difficulty. Several others are on the way.

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The Strauss Piano Company, Limited, has been organized by Howard Strauss, who has been in the piano business for many years. The capital of the company is \$50,000 and many of our more prominent business and professional men are backing it financially. The pianos for the company are the best of Nova Scotia and the solid ones are Messrs. Brown, Dawson, Kennedy and Hyndman.

The company have purchased the building formerly used as the West End dairy on Tenth street, Hudson's Bay Reserve. They are having it enlarged and refitted. The new building will be two stories, 150x70. Four lots upon which the building stands have been acquired with the building. It will have a capacity of four hundred pianos yearly and will employ twenty men to start with and more will be needed from time to time. The company have secured an option on one of the stores in the new Holman block and propose to open shop as a piano store as any in Canada. Regular weekly rentals will be given in them. The grade of pianos manufactured will be of the very highest as the most modern improvements are being used in their compilation.

The company have secured patents and improvements that are not in any other piano on the market and the company are confident that their piano will be one of which Edmontonians will be proud. The first product of the factory is expected to be on the market within two months.

Besides pianos the company will manufacture show cases, bank and office fittings and fine woodwork for which work a five thousand dollar plant is being installed.

The company have associated with them as mechanical superintendent, Messrs. McMorris, who has had twenty years of such experience in Canada and the United States and is thoroughly competent and up-to-date. Mr. McMorris is a very extensive business in this line of work both in the Territories, the field of the new company, and elsewhere, will stand in good stead in his position of superintendent of sales. Weeks & Company, the promoters of the new company, have had ten years experience in company work in British Columbia. The field of the new company is perhaps the most important part of the territory coming into the Territories by the railway, and a large market certainly exists. The already closely settled portions of Alberta will of themselves constitute a large market, but as the vast stretches of fertile country east, west, and north of Edmonton become better settled, the demand will naturally be increased and the Strauss Piano Company, of Edmonton will doubtless secure a large portion of the trade.

REAL ESTATE

Edmonton real estate is becoming very active. The Hudson's Bay company have advanced the price of their west end lots and the demand for lots in all parts of the town has been greatly increased. Local real estate agents state that from the time of the announcement that the Grand Trunk Pacific company had made a cash deposit, real estate prices took a decided upward tendency. Every day letters are being received regarding the establishment of business places in our city. One real estate agent has had enquiries the past ten days from five different parties in the east, asking regarding the opportunity for constructing large hotels here. All this shows that the eyes of the continent are still on Edmonton. Incoming Americans state that large parties of immigrants are getting ready to come to Northern Alberta. Almost every western American newspaper you pick up contains the names of numerous well to do families leaving or getting ready to leave for Northern Alberta, which seems to be the most favored part of the Canadian West from the standpoint of the average western United States farmer. The assurance of the early construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific transcontinental railway, and the great activity which there is sure to be in Canadian Northern construction in and near Edmonton during the coming summer, is having a great deal to do with the strengthening of real estate prices. Already for the coming year building estimates are well up in hundreds of thousands of dollars. The construction of a number of particularly handsome business blocks and numerous residences has already been arranged for and the present outlook is for a much busier year than 1903. The citizens of Edmonton have the utmost confidence in the future of their town.

JUVENILES PLAY HOCKEY

The second hockey match in the series between the old and the new public schools took place on Thistle rink last night and resulted in a draw, each side scoring one goal. The attendance was very small, but the boys played just as vigorously as if thousands looked on. The game was very interesting and an exceedingly fast grade of hockey was put up. The little fellows play the puck and goal always onto it. In the first half F. Millan scored once for the new school, and in the second half S. McMillan scored for the old school. Although both teams worked hard to break the tie, the score remained one all until full time, and the teams agreed to play off the tie later. For the new school Robert and McKenny played strong games and McKenny and Studebaker for the old school. Johnnie Matz played an exceedingly fast game and both goal keepers did good work.

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Statutory Declaration with the Assignee on

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A meeting of the creditors will be held at

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